GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
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Development of DMIC
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Railways has received any request from the State Government of Gujarat for development of various railway lines for overall development of Delhi Mumbai Industrial Corridor (DMIC);

(b) if so, the details thereof and the present status;

(c) whether the Railways intend to fast tract these projects; and

(d) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

(SHRI RAJEN GOHAIN)

(a) to (c): Ministry of Railways had received request from Government of Gujarat for linking the Dholera Special Investment Region (DSIR) under Delhi-Mumbai Industrial Corridor (DMIC) Project to Bhimnath.
Botad- Bhavnagar Section has already been converted to Broad Gauge and Gauge Conversion of Ahmedabad- Botad has been taken up. Bhimnath-Dholera New Line Project has been taken up by Delhi Mumbai Industrial Corridor Development Corporation Ltd. (DMICDC) under Non-Government Railway Model to fast track the project.

(d): Does not arise.
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